



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

NABATAME et al

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J. Kennedy

## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Commissioner for Patents

January 30, 2004

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated July 30, 2003 of the Primary Examiner, finally rejecting claims 9 - 47. The items below are appropriate:

The fee of \$330.00 for this Notice is enclosed.

A Petition for Extension of Time for filing this Notice is attached hereto, together with the appropriate fee.

To the extent necessary, applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli,

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Terry, Stout & Kraus, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 501.39983X00), and please credit any excess fees to said deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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